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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT : Meeting with Fubini re

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1. The undersigned met with Gene Fubini, of DD/R&E to discuss the initiation of as a follow-up to the DCI's luncheon conversation with Fubini. General Philip Strong (DD/I) and Jack Blake (DD/ST) also joined the meeting held on Friday, 2 August 1963.

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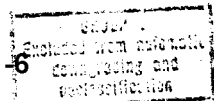
2. Fubini opened by suggesting that we could either try to solve the whole mess or work constructively on one system at a time. I made clear my feeling that new systems would come in faster than we could tidy up existing ones, and our only possible course was to try to create a mechanism which could itself deal with individual problems.

3. Fubini then revised his previous estimate of the odds that could be set up as imagined under CIA. Whereas he had previously guessed 20%, he now thought it so close to zero as not to be worth our time and serious attention. I suggested that he might be taking odds on the wrong race, and I took time out to explain our concept. The NSA liaison man was considerably relaxed by this explanation, since it made no clear assault on the cryptologic services.

4. I had about explained the Analysis Division concept in detail when put in a very significant suggestion: "Why doesn't CIA go ahead and establish this capability on its own?" An all-source analysis capability of the raw data does not now exist, so that there would be no duplication or take-over involved. Rather, it would represent filling a void and discharging CIA's assigned responsibility to create capabilities of common concern.

5. suggested that the operational control and feedback features of the plan not be blocked at this time for fear of turndown. Rather, they could come as logical next steps once the analysis capability is

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